

**AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION**

**Please delete the second full paragraph on page 1 in the specification, and replace with the following new one:**

There has been provided a related art shock absorbing material for packaging in which a styrofoam material provided with two or more outletsinlets is inserted into a bag-shaped plastic sheet, air in the bag-shaped plastic sheet is sucked out, via the two or more outletsinlets, from an opening of the plastic sheet so that the plastic sheet is adhered to a surface of the styrofoam material, and the opening of the plastic sheet is then closed.